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**American Farm Bureau Federation, et al.**

Plaintiff(s)

Case No.: 3:23-cv-00020

vs.

**U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, et al.**

Defendant(s)

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Southern District of Texas

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## SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Merrick Garland, in his official capacity as Attorney General  
Attorney General of the United States  
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20530-0001

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are: Kevin S. Ranlett Timothy S. Bishop

Kevin S. Ranlett  
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Mayer Brown LLP  
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Houston, Texas 77002

Timothy S. Bishop  
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If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.


*Nathan Ochsner, Clerk of Court*

Date: February 13, 2023

Nathan Ohmer

s/ V. Aranda

Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

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